

**PLATEAU
MINING
CORPORATION**

C/007/038 Incoming

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Willow Creek Mine

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August 10, 2010

Ms. Daron Haddock
Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Re: Clean Copies for Incorporation into the MRP, Phase I Bond Release, Crandall Canyon, Plateau Mining Corporation, Willow Creek Mine, C/007/0038, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Haddock:

In response to the letter from Mr. Baza dated July 21, 2010, Plateau Mining Corporation is herewith submitting Six Clean Copies of the Phase I Bond Release for Crandall Canyon.

The attached includes the C1 and C2 forms, text page replacements and additions, a new as-built appendix including text, tables, hydrology calculations, public notice and notification letters to land owners government agencies, bond release calculations, a reclamation certification and as-built maps.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Dennis N. Ware
Controller and Administrative Manager

*4 copies in this box
2 copies in separate box*

Enclosures

Enviro/Permit Actions/Willow Creek/Crandall Canyon/Six Clean Copies/Cover Letter

File In C

Date: *08/16/2010*, Refer to:

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☐ Shelf
☒ Expandable

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APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change ☐ New Permit ☐ Renewal ☐ Exploration ☐ Bond Release ☒ Transfer ☐

Permittee: Plateau Mining Corporation

Mine: Willow Creek Mine

Permit Number: C/007/0038

Title: Crandall Canyon Phase I Bond Release

Description, include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Phase I Bond Release - Clean Copies for Incorporation into the MRP

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: _____ Disturbed Area: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> increase <input type="checkbox"/> decrease. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO# _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond? |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Does the application require or include public notice publication? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?
<i>Explain:</i> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area? |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement? |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities? |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures? |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities? |

Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you. (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

Dennis N Ware
Print Name

[Signature] 8-10-2010
Sign Name, Position, Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of August, 2010

Ruanne LeeFlang
Notary Public
My commission Expires: 8-30, 2013
Attest: State of Utah
County of Emery



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APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING
Detailed Schedule Of Changes to the Mining And Reclamation Plan

Committee: Plateau Mining Corporation

Mine: Willow Creek Mine

Permit Number: C/007/0038

Title: Crandall Canyon Phase I Bond Release

Provide a detailed listing of all changes to the Mining and Reclamation Plan, which is required as a result of this proposed permit application. Individually list all maps and drawings that are added, replaced, or removed from the plan. Include changes to the table of contents, section of the plan, or other information as needed to specifically locate, identify and revise the existing Mining and Reclamation Plan. Include page, section and drawing number as part of the description.

DESCRIPTION OF MAP, TEXT, OR MATERIAL TO BE CHANGED

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Any other specific or special instruction required for insertion of this proposal into the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

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